

Docket No. 283365US3X PCT



**MAIL STOP PCT**

**IAP7 Rec'd PCT/PTO 26 MAY 2006**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Toshinari SHIMIZU, et al.

SERIAL NUMBER: 10/565,198

FILING DATE: January 20, 2006

FOR: MONOCYCLE

**RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 USC 371**

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
BOX PCT  
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

Responsive to the notification dated **May 16, 2006**, and in accordance with the provisions of 35 USC 371, Applicants submit herewith a Rule 63 Declaration.

The required fee(s) was paid at the time of filing the application.

The Rule 63 Declaration being filed herewith is accompanied by an English translation. The translation is accurate (37 CFR 1.69.)

In light of the foregoing, this application is deemed to be in proper condition for examination and such favorable action is earnestly solicited.

Our payment in the amount of \$ 0.00 is paid herewith by credit card. If any difference exists between the amount due and the amount being paid herewith, please charge or credit the difference to our Deposit Account No. 15-0030. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

If these papers are not considered timely filed by the Patent and Trademark Office, then a petition is hereby made under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 and any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 for any necessary extension of time may be charged to Deposit Account No. 15-0030. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully Submitted,

OBLON, SPIVAK, McCLELLAND,  
MAIER & NEUSTADT, P.C.

C. Irvin McClelland  
Registration No. 21,124

Customer Number

**22850**

Tel. (703) 413-3000  
Fax. (703) 413-2220  
(OSMMN 05/06)

Surinder Sachar  
Registration No. 34,423



## UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE  
United States Patent and Trademark Office  
Address: COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450  
www.uspto.gov

U.S. APPLICATION NUMBER NO.	FIRST NAMED APPLICANT	ATTY. DOCKET NO.
10/565,198	Toshinari Shimizu	283365US-3-X PCT

INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO.
PCT/JP03/09289

I.A. FILING DATE	PRIORITY DATE
07/22/2003	

22850  
OBLON, SPIVAK, MCCLELLAND, MAIER & NEUSTADT, P.C.  
1940 DUKE STREET  
ALEXANDRIA, VA 22314

CONFIRMATION NO. 9524

371 FORMALITIES LETTER



\*OC000000018794709\*

ET

Date Mailed: 05/16/2006

### NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Copy of the International Application filed on 01/20/2006
- English Translation of the IA filed on 01/20/2006
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 01/20/2006
- Copy of IPE Report filed on 01/20/2006
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 04/13/2006
- Request for Immediate Examination filed on 01/20/2006
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 01/20/2006
- Specification filed on 01/20/2006
- Claims filed on 01/20/2006
- Abstracts filed on 01/20/2006
- Drawings filed on 01/20/2006

RECEIVED: 5-18-06  
OBLON, SPIVAK, McCLELLAND  
MAIER & NEUSTADT, P.C.  
**DOCKETING DEPT.**  
Initials/Date Docketed: OX/5-18-06  
Type of Resp(s): DD  
Due Date(s): 7-16-05

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.

**ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.**

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the response.*

KAREN R MCLEAN

Telephone: (703) 308-9140 EXT 214

PART 1 - ATTORNEY/APPLICANT COPY

U.S. APPLICATION NUMBER NO.	INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO.	ATTY. DOCKET NO.
10/565,198	PCT/JP03/09289	283365US-3-X PCT

FORM PCT/DO/EO/905 (371 Formalities Notice)